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Applicant: Marmo et al. Serial No.: 10/661,400

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For: INSERTING LENSES INTO CORNEAL

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# REQUEST FOR CORRECTION OF INVENTORSHIP UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.48(c)

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

This is a request for correction of inventorship under 37 C.F.R. 1.48(c).

Applicant submits that the executed declaration filed with the subject application had correctly set forth the inventorship, but due to amendment to the claims to include previously unclaimed but disclosed subject matter, Greg S. Hollrigel must be added to the current inventorship.

Applicant requests that the inventorship be corrected accordingly.

Filed herewith are:

- (1) Statement in Support of Request for Correction of Inventorship;
  - (2) Declaration (signed by the actual inventors);

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## (3) Consent of Assignee; and

Authorization is hereby given to charge Deposit Account No. 21-0890 the requisite processing fee of \$130. Please any shortages or credit any overages.

Respectfully submitted,

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Appl. No. 10/661,400 Statement RECEIVED CENTRAL FAX CENTER NOV 3 0 2006

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#### STATEMENT IN SUPPORT OF REQUEST FOR CORRECTION OF INVENTORSHIP UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.48(c)

L, Greg S. Hollrigel, hereby state that:

- 1. I am being added as an inventor in the subject patent application.
- 2. This addition is necessitated by amendment of the claims and the inventorship error was made without deceptive intention on my part.

November 17, 2006

Date

Greg S. Hollrigel

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## COMBINED DECLARATION FOR PATENT APPLICATION AND POWER OF ATTORNEY

As a below named inventor, I hereby declare that:

My residence post office address and citizenship are as stated below next to my name.

I believe I am the original first and sole inventor (if only one name is listed below) or an original, first and joint inventor (if plural names are listed below) of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention originally entitled DEVICES AND METHODS FOR IMPROVING VISION and now entitled INSERTING LENSES INTO CORNEAL EPITHELIAL POCKETS TO IMPROVE VISION the specification of which

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was filed on September 12, 2003 as US Application Serial Number 10/661,400

and was smended on May 3, 2006.

I hereby state that I have reviewed and understand the contents of the above identified specification, including the claims, as amended by any amendment referred to above.

I acknowledge the duty to disclose information which is material to the patentability as defined in 37 CFR § 1.58.

I hereby claim foreign priority benefits under 35 U.S.C. §118(a)-(d) or §365(b) of any foreign application(s) for patent or inventor's certificate, or §365(a) of any PCT international application which designated at least one country other than the United States, listed below and have also identified below any foreign application for patent or inventor's certificate, or PCT International application having a filing date before that of the application on which priority is claimed.

Prior Foreign Application(8)

(Day/Mordh/Year Filed)

(Status -patented, pending, abandoned)

Priority Not Claimed

I hereby claim the benefit under 35 U.S.C. §119(e) of any United States provisional application(s) listed below.

60/484,590 60/464,004 60/410,837

April 21, 2003 April 18, 2003 September 13, 2002 (Fling Date)

(Filing Date)

I hereby claim the benefit under 35 U.S.C. § 120 of any United States application(s), or §365(c) of any PCT international application designating the United States, listed below and, insofar as the subject matter of each of the claims of this application is not disclosed in the prior United States or PCT international application in the manner provided by the first paragraph of 35 U.S.C. §112, I acknowledge the duty to disclose information which is material to patentability as defined in 37 CFR §1.56 which became available between the filling date of the prior application and the national or PCT international filing date of this application.

I hereby appoint the practitioner(e) associated with the Customer Number 61535 as attorney(s) or agent(s) to prosocute this application and to transact all

business in the Patent and Trademark Office connected therewith.

The correspondence address for this application should be the address associated with Customer Number 61535 I hereby declare that all statements made herein of my own knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further that these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under Section 1001 of Title 18 of the United States Code and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application or any patent

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#### **CONSENT OF ASSIGNEE**

COOPERVISION, INC., having its principal place of business at 370 Woodcliff Drive, Suite 200, Fairport, New York 14450, is the Assignee of the entire right, title, and interest in and to U.S. Patent Application Serial No. 10/661,400, as evidenced by an Assignment from inventors J. Christopher Marmo and Arthur Back, recorded in the Patent and Trademark Office at Reel 018178, Frame 0899 on August 28, 2006 and by an Assignment from inventor Greg S. Hollrigel, a copy of which is filed herewith and is being submitted for recordation pursuant to 37 C.F. R. 3.11.

COOPERVISION, INC., hereby consents to the correction of inventorship being requested herewith in the above referenced patent application.

Executed this 17th day of November, 2006.

Signature

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